

Docket No.: A-67520-5/RMA (475852-10) Application Serial No. 10/789,773

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

First Named

Inventor:

Gerard S. Moloney

Appln. No.:

10/789,773

Filing Date:

February 27, 2004

Chemical Mechanical Polishing Head

Assembly Having Floating Wafer Carrier

Title:

and Retaining Ring

Confirmation No.: 1907

Examiner:

Timothy V. Eley

Group Art Unit:

3724

PETITION FOR 2 MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of 2months from November 6, 2004 to January 6, 2005 within which to respond to the Response to Office Action dated August 6, 2004. A check in the amount of \$450.00 is enclosed herewith to cover the extension fee. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 50-2319 (Order No. A-67520-5/RMA (475852-10)).

> Respectfully submitted, DORSEY & WHITNEY LLP

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